



SAINT CHARLES

CATHOLIC SCHOOL

Health Office & Attendance Line: 612-787-1131

(With the new phone system, this line doesn't have a school greeting yet)

Weekly Update 10 ~ November 17, 2022

CALENDAR OF EVENTS

TH. NOV 17 6:30 PM Home & School Meeting (room 104)

FR. NOV 18 8:00 AM K-8 Mass with music (church)

POSTPONED: Coffee with the Principal

SA. NOV 19-SU. NOV 20 Bake Sale (Doran Hall after weekend Masses)

MO. NOV 21- No bus service

Out-of-uniform passes may be used

[Blood Drive](#) (Doran Hall)

TU. NOV 22 No bus service

End of trimester 1

WE. NOV 23-FR. NOV 25 School Not in Session - Thanksgiving Break

SU. NOV 27 1st Sunday of Advent

MO. NOV 28 Out-of-uniform passes may be used

Trimester 2 begins

TU. NOV 29 Picture Retake Day

Looking ahead

MO. DEC 19 Christmas Break begins - school not in session

Dear St. Charles Families,

This week, I have to begin with very sad news received from our kindergarten aide Sharon Rice. Last week, Mrs. Rice's son Peter Rice passed away at the young age of 27 years. This has been heartbreaking for Sharon and her family as you can imagine. We ask that you join our staff's efforts praying for Sharon and her family as they say goodbye to their beloved son, brother, and uncle. A number of staff members from St. Charles will be attending the funeral tomorrow at 10:00 AM at Corpus Christi Church in Roseville. There is a visitation from 9:00 -10:00 AM at the church before the funeral. Peter is in our prayer corner, and they will all be in our hearts and prayers over this very difficult weekend and the days ahead. Mrs. Rice will be returning to school after a period of bereavement, when she is ready. Here is the obituary of Peter Rice:

<https://www.ohalloranmurphy.com/obituary/Peter-Rice>

The 3rd and 4th grade students continue their efforts on this year's Thanksgiving Food Drive. Please send in final donations tomorrow! It will be the last day of the drive and the last day to help us stock the shelves of our local Catholic organizations who care for the poor in our community.

The new lunch tables will be arriving tomorrow, or at least 19 of them will be. There will be 3 more arriving in December. We plan to have our students eating on these new tables Monday, November 20th. This means we have a number of old yellow tables we are getting rid of. We will be giving them away for free to anyone who is willing to take them away. If you want one of these yellow beauties, please contact the school, and we will gladly roll one out for you. Maybe it is for nostalgia because you ate on them, maybe you need them for Thanksgiving (no returns after), or maybe you want to make a garden out of it...somehow. The more you take the less we have to pay to dispose of.

Tuesday, November 22, is the last day of school before Thanksgiving, and the last day of the first trimester. It is hard to believe that we are already one third of the way through the school year. The first report cards of the year will go home on December 2nd.

As a reminder, there is no coffee with the principal tomorrow.

God bless you,
Danny Kieffer
St. Charles Principal

The Annual Thanksgiving Food Drive - Last Chance!!

The St. Charles School Thanksgiving Food Drive ends tomorrow. Donations go to the Missionaries of Charity in Minneapolis and to the Franciscan Brothers of Peace in St. Paul.

- The Brothers are in need of any donated foods and personal hygiene items
- The Sisters are requesting the following - *boxed food, dried beans, white rice, masa flour, cooking oil, cereal (any), noodles (any including Ramen), spaghetti noodles, and sauce. Also appreciated are diapers in sizes 3, 4, 5 and paper products (toilet paper, paper towels, Kleenex) and personal hygiene products.*
- **Please do not send anything that comes in glass jars.** Thank you!
- Feel free to send items with your children over a few days rather than all at one time--makes it easier for your student!!

God bless your generosity to our neighbors in need!

4th-8th Grade Basketball Schedule 11/21-11/22

For practice times and coaching information, please see the attached practice schedule.

Calling All 2nd & 3rd Graders

All 2nd and 3rd graders are invited to participate in the intramural basketball program that starts in January. Please see the attached description and registration information. Registrations are due December 2, 2022.

Thank You

Our school recently received a gift of \$1,544.00 from an anonymous benefactor who matched contributions to Relevant Radio at the annual *Christ Brings Hope Banquet*. Relevant Radio 1330 AM broadcasts programs that inspire, entertain, and inform through a Catholic lens. You are especially invited to tune in daily to *The Family Rosary Across America* at 7:00 PM. You can video-stream the broadcast from relevantradio.com or from the Relevant Radio YouTube channel. Join hundreds of thousands of families praying for families!

Home & School

Christmas Staff Appreciation Idea

Wondering what gifts to give to our teachers & staff this Christmas? Take a look at the attached letter to see an easy way to contribute to a gift for all!

AmazonSmiles

Time to start shopping or get those last minute gifts! Make sure to login into AmazonSmiles and pick St Charles of Borromeo as your charity to get a percentage of their profits back to us!!

Home & School Wants You!!

Check out the latest volunteer opportunities: [Sign Up Genius](#)

Spirit Wear

Check out our online Spirit Wear shop hosted by [Schoolbelles](#). Items featuring our Chargers logo are available for purchase. Orders are shipped directly to families.

T-shirts can also be purchased at the front office for \$13 each.

If you have any questions, contact Mary Urdahl at urdahl.mary@gmail.com or Kari Domeyer at karidomeyer@gmail.com.

Parish Corner

Youth Ministry Newsletter and all youth ministry materials: www.stchb.org/youth

After School Youth Group

All 4-8th grade students are invited to join us on Thursdays for after school youth group from 2:40-4:00 PM! Contact Katie at kwalker@stchb.org with any questions! Upcoming dates: November 17, December 1, 8, & 15

Ignite

All 4-8th grade students are invited to attend Ignite on Wednesdays from 6-7:30 PM in the youth room. This is a great opportunity for fun, fellowship, formation, and snacks! Please reach out to Katie with any questions at kwalker@stchb.org!

Ablaze

8th grade students are also invited to attend Ablaze on Wednesdays from 7:30-9 PM in the youth room! This is our high school youth group, and the 8th graders may attend this instead of Ignite if they would prefer! Please reach out to Katie at kwalker@stchb.org with questions!

Bake Sale ~ November 19 & 20

Women's Council Bake sale this upcoming weekend! You can drop off donations in Doran Hall between 3:00 and 5:00 PM on Saturday. Don't forget to pick up some delicious treats after all Masses this weekend, while supplies last.

Women's Advent Retreat ~ December 3

Mark your calendar for December 3 from 8:00-11:30 AM in Doran Hall. Ann Virnig of the Avila Institute will be speaking on prayer and its obstacles. All details in this [flyer](#). Register for this free event online at [Advent Retreat](#).

Check the links below the Prayer Corner for more information

Prayer Corner

If you would like to add someone to our prayer corner, please email the information to Danny Kieffer at dkieffer@stchbs.org

- ❖ For the repose of the soul of Peter, son of staff member Sharon Rice, and for the comfort of his family.
- ❖ For Ruby S, teenage cousin to student Kinley, as Ruby battles her 3rd round of cancer in 2 years.
- ❖ For St. Charles student Jasper and his family as they navigate some new health challenges.
- ❖ For healing for Blanca, grandmother to student Camila.
- ❖ For a complete recovery for staff member Cindy Brown-Kasel.
- ❖ For successful cancer treatment for Jody, grandmother to students Torin and Brody, and mother to staff member Dayton Goodmanson.
- ❖ For healing of cancer for Bobbie, great aunt to students Lilly and Leo, and aunt to staff member Sharon McHale.
- ❖ For healing from cancer treatment complications for Dana Huggar's mother.
- ❖ For Leanna, grandmother to students Braden ('21), Brett, Hailey, Elena, Tom, Joe, Peter, Grace, and Ava, as she battles cancer.
- ❖ For the health of all our students, families, and staff.
- ❖ For peace in our families and in our communities.

Additional Links

St. Charles School Website ~ www.stchbschool.org

St. Charles Google Calendar ~ [St. Charles Calendar Link](#)

St. Charles Lunch Calendar ~ [St. Charles Lunch Calendar Link](#)

St Charles Wellness Policy ~ [School-Wellness-Policy](#)

St. Charles Google Athletic Calendar ~ [St. Charles Athletic Calendar Link](#)

St Charles Volunteers ~ [Sign Up Genius](#)

Concession Stand Sign-up ~ [concession stand sign-up](#)

St Charles Facebook ~ <https://www.facebook.com/stchbs>

St. Charles Borromeo: [St Charles Church](#)

Beyond St Charles

T-G Youth Wrestling Free Clinic ~ [Flier](#) & [Sign Up Here](#)

T-G Youth Wrestling Youth Club ~ [Flier](#) & [Sign Up Here](#)

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